

MYSORE CITY MUNICIPALITY.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE ORDINARY MEETING OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCILLORS FOR THE CITY OF
MYSORE, HELD IN THE RANGACHARLU MEMORIAL HALL,
ON SATURDAY THE 31ST JULY 1909 AT 7-30 A.M.

PRESENT.

- (1) M. Kantharaj Urs, Esq. (President).
- (2) M. G. Krishnasami Rao, Esq. (Vice-President).
- (3) B. Subba Rao, Esq. (Executive Engineer, Mysore Division).
- (4) V. L. Manker, Esq. (Health Officer, Mysore City).
- (5) M. Venkatakrishniaya, Esq.
- (6) M. Narasimhaswami, Esq.
- (7) M. Krishnappaji Urs, Esq.
- (8) Amble Annaiya Pandit, Esq.
- (9) N. Srikantaiya, Esq.
- (10) A. Subbanna, Esq.
- (11) M. Anantharajaiya, Esq.
- (12) Rahimatulla Ahamed Sait, Esq.
- (13) Madappa, Esq.
- (14) Hussain Alli Baig Saheb, Esq.
- (15) Tiruvengada Mudaliar, Esq.
- (16) Syed Mohadin, Saheb, Esq.
- (17) Revd. H. Gulliford.

ABSENT.

- (1) Syed Yakub Saheb, Esq. (Amildar, Mysore Taluk).
- (2) K. Chandrasekharaiya, Esq.
- (3) M. C. Rangiar, Esq.

I. Consideration of the accounts of receipt and expenditure and other vital statistics for the month of June 1909 with the auditor's report.

Passed.

II. Proceedings of the Managing and Health Committees.

Confirmed.

III. Mysore District Deputy Commissioner's yadast No. 4192, dated 10th May 1909, regarding the election of four Municipal Councillors for the ensuing Dasara Representative Assembly.

Deferred till the receipt of orders from Government re nominations.

IV. Letter No. 12402-12—Med. 2-08-46, dated 19th June 1909, from the Secretary to the Government of Mysore in the Revenue and General Departments, requesting to report the views of the Council in the matter of meeting the expenses of the treatment of indigent persons bitten by rabid animals from Municipal Funds in the case of persons residing within the City.

Resolved that Government be informed that the Council is prepared to bear these charges.

V. Docket No 93—Ml. 409-08-4, dated 3rd July 1909, from the Secretary to the Government of Mysore in the Revenue and General Departments, forwarding for the consideration of the Council the question of appointing a Superintendent to look after the aided schools as suggested by the Inspector-General of Education.

Deferred pending the question of the secondary education classes being taken over by Government is settled.

VI. Government Proceedings No. 96-8—Ml. 327-08-3, dated 3rd July 1909, approving the Chief Engineer's suggestions to credit the fees derived from excess consumption of water to Government, and enquiring whether the Public Works Department itself should not make the collection also.

Resolved that Government be requested to entrust the collection to the Municipality as is the case in the Bangalore City Municipality.

VII. Government Proceedings No. 13263-70—Ml. 369-08-2, dated 30th June 1909, sanctioning the Budget Estimates of the City Municipal Council for 1909-10 with certain observations.

Recorded.

VIII. Estimate amounting to Rs. 1,938 for railing the Kurubarahalli tank bund road with spent rails.

Passed.

IX. Docket No. 221-2—Ml. 151-08, dated the 7th July 1909, from the Secretary to the Government in the Revenue and General Departments, forwarding for the opinion of the Council, copy of letter No. 103, dated 11th September 1908, from the President of the Municipalities in the Chitaldrug District proposing a reduction in octroi duty on tobacco.

Resolved that the recommendation of the President of the Municipalities in Chitaldrug District is sound and reasonable.

X. D. O. letter dated 29th June 1909, from the Officer in charge of the Government House and Kunigal Stud Farm establishments, enquiring whether the Municipality would undertake to light the approaches of the Government House with electric lights.

Resolved that the Officer be informed that the Municipal Council have included these lights in their application for more lights.

XI. Government Proceedings No. 12492-3—Med. 111-08-6, dated 12th June 1909, sanctioning an increase of rupees two each to the waterwomen in the Dispensaries in the Mysore City and an increase of rupee one to the same class of menials employed in the Local Fund Dispensaries in the Mysore District.

Recorded.

XII. Proceedings of the Schools' Committee dated 25th June 1909.

Deferred.

XIII. Vice-President's memo dated 26th June 1909, recommending the transfer of the toll-gate contract of Chetnahalli Ookad for the year 1909-10 from Abdulla Sait to Abdul Razac, contractor of Yelwal road toll-gate.

Approved.

XIV. Government Proceedings Nos. 332-3—Ml. 470-08-3 and 630-1—Ml. 470-08-4, dated 9th July 1909 and 16th July 1909, respectively, directing the writing off the Municipal accounts, the irrecoverable arrears of taxes in all the Mohallas of the City with certain observations.

Recorded.

XV. Government Proceedings No. 441-2—Ml. 496-08-3, dated 12th July 1909, intimating the Comptroller's remarks on the auditor's report of the result of the test audit of the accounts of the City Municipal Council.

Recorded.

XVI. Government Proceedings No. 377-88—San. 182-08-4, dated 10th July 1909, requesting to send to the Sanitary Commissioner a copy of the resolution passed by the President on the inspection notes submitted by the Sanitary Officers.

Recorded.

XVII. Government Proceedings No. 632-5—Ml. 496-08-4, dated 16th July 1909, sanctioning a lump sum remuneration of Rs. 50 to K. Joseph Pillay, accountant of the Comptroller's office, for auditing the City Municipal accounts and debiting the charge to the Municipal Funds.

Recorded.

XVIII. Consideration of the Health Committee's recommendation regarding the adoption of the bye-laws relating to bakeries, sweetmeat shops, etc.

Confirmed.

XIX. Consideration of the Health Committee's recommendation regarding the introduction of the daily conservancy system in the City.

Resolved that the daily conservancy system be introduced into the whole City as per rates prevailing in the City of Bangalore but with this difference, viz., that houses paying one rupee and under as house-tax, also be required to pay a cess of one anna and exempting such houses as do not possess facilities for daily conservancy at present.

XX. Consideration of the Health Committee's recommendation regarding the funds required to meet the cost of the establishment required to clean pipe-lines, manholes, etc.

Deferred pending reference to Government.

XXI. Correspondence ending with Government Secretary's letter No. 962—Ml. 176-09-1, dated 26th July 1909, regarding the imposition of a general water-rate in the Mysore City.

Resolved that as the Chief Engineer has consented to the two essential conditions precedent to the introduction of a general water-tax, the said tax be introduced in the City as soon as Government sanction thereto is received.

The following statistics for the month of June 1909—
Her Highness the Maharani's Female Hospital—

(1) IN-PATIENTS.

Number treated during the month	46
Number confined	18
Number where instruments used	2
Number treated for other diseases	26

(2) OUT-PATIENTS.

Number remaining on last day of May 1909	100
Number admitted during the month of June 1909	1,087
Total treated	1,187

Dispensaries.

No.	Name of dispensary	Number of patients treated during the month	Number cured and discharged	Absent	Died	Remaining	Average daily sick	Number of labour cases attended by the midwives
1	Old Agrahar Dispensary	3,056	2,890	...	3	163	196.23	3
2	Nazarbad do	1,526	1,415	13	...	98	97.77	3
3	Erangere do	1,721	1,622	...	2	97	119.23	1
4	Indigenous Hospital (Karnatic)	2,628	2,456	11	...	161	150.26	...
5	Do (Unani)	3,216	2,991	32	...	193	107.2	...
6	Nikhilargahari Hospital	1,032	983	...	34	15	34.4	...

Rainfall.

	Inches	Cents
For June 1909	2	81
Do 1908	3	99

Plague and Mortuary Return for the month of June 1909.

Mohallas	Number of births	Average births in the previous three years for the corresponding month of June	Deaths from—						Average deaths in the previous three years for the corresponding month of June					
			Plague	Cholera	Small-pox	Fever	Other causes	Total	Plague	Cholera	Small-pox	Fever	Other causes	Total
Lashkar	8	16	4	...	13	2	36	55	...	...	1	2	26	29
Mandi	15	23	1	...	12	1	21	35	1	1	1	1	22	25
Devaraj	4	9	5	...	3	6	10	24	...	1	...	2	24	27
Chamraj	19	39	16	...	4	2	47	39	...	...	4	19	23	23
Krishnaraj	9	14	...	...	5	2	29	36	...	...	3	19	22	22
Fort	1	3	...	...	1	...	2	3	...	...	...	4	4	4
Nazarbad	5	8	...	...	...	1	4	5	1	...	1	8	10	10
Isolation Hospital	...	...	7	...	1	...	3	11	2	1	...	4	7	7
Total	61	112	33	...	39	14	122	208	4	3	113	126	147	147

Total number of births and deaths from 1st July to 9th July 1909.

Mohallas	Number of births	Deaths from—					
		Plague	Cholera	Small-pox	Fever	Other causes	Total
Lashkar	3	1	...	8	1	14	24
Mandi	9	1	...	4	...	10	15
Devaraj	2	2	...	...	...	5	7
Chamraj	15	3	...	3	...	7	13
Krishnaraj	3	6	...	1	2	8	17
Fort	1	...	...	...	1	1	2
Nazarbad	...	...	...	1	1	...	2
Isolation Hospital	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	33	13	...	17	5	45	80

Cash Account Current during the month of June 1909.

Budget head	Receipts	For June 1909	For June 1908	Budget head	Expenditure	For June 1909	For June 1908
		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.			Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
I	Octroi—						
	Class I—(a) Cocoanuts, fresh ...	683 6 11	687 14 2	II	Head Office—		
	(b) Do. dry ...	91 5 3	79 5 6		1. Vice-President's allowance ...	350 0 0	350 0 0
	(c) Betel-leaves ...	431 11 4	512 14 1		2. Establishment ...	259 0 0	237 12 0
	(d) Sugar ...	499 11 1	606 11 5		3. Contingent ...	39 15 3	15 6 0
	(e) Jaggory ...	348 8 9	317 5 2		4. Printing charges ...	.....	.....
	(f) Ghee ...	779 9 10	596 10 3		5. Advertisement charges ...	9 0 0	.....
	(g) Butter ...	23 14 2	214 8 10		6. Furniture ...	.....	35 0 0
	Class II—Sheep, goats and bullocks ...	355 6 0	473 10 0		7. Clothing ...	194 0 0	186 5 0
	Class III—Oil and oil-seeds ...	198 11 19	251 7 8		8. Audit charges ...	.....	.....
	Class III—(a) Kerosene oil ...	347 4 0	637 7 0		Total ...	851 15 3	824 7 0
	Class IV—Timber and chunam ...	697 9 4	648 10 10	III	Collection—		
	Class VI—Tobacco ...	269 7 10	306 14 9		1. Octroi establishment ...	719 0 0	583 9 2
	Class VII—Cloths ...	1,356 1 11	1,637 8 2		2. Do contingent ...	11 0 0	11 0 0
	Total ...	6,082 12 3	7,030 15 10		3. Printing charges ...	.....	.....
II	Tax on houses and lands ...	2,748 6 8	2,959 14 0		4. Rewards to detective smugglers ...	.....	.....
III	License receipts—				5. Mohatarfa establishment ...	424 5 8	270 10 5
	(a) Liquor shops—				6. Do contingent and printing ...	0 8 9	1 13 2
	1. Registration fee from Europe liquor shops ...	.....	25 0 0		7. Market establishment ...	43 0 0	39 0 0
	2. Registration fee from retail arrack shops ...	.....	.....		Total ...	1,197 14 5	911 0 9
	3. Refreshment rooms ...	.....	.....	IV	Conservancy—		
	4. Excess sale of arrack over 55 gallons ...	598 4 0	630 4 0		1. Establishment ...	3,976 14 3	2,386 13 2
	Total ...	598 4 0	655 4 0		2. Carts ...	645 12 4	553 14 0
	(b) Other licenses—				3. Clothing ...	.....	.....
	1. Slaughter-house fees ...	138 0 0	60 0 0		4. Tools and baskets ...	.....	294 9 9
	2. Cart-stand fees ...	3 4 3+	5 1 9		5. Painting street boards and door numbers ...	.....	138 14 0
	3. Fees from cattle fair ...	84 0 0	27 12 0		6. Contingent ...	.....	17 5 0
	4. Devaraj Market daily fees..	10 8 0	13 8 0		7. Wheel-barrows ...	.....	780 12 0
	5. Mandi do ...	321 0 0	366 0 0		Total ...	4,623 10 7	4,172 3 11
	6. Hackney carriage stables ...	66 0 0	162 0 0	VI	Registration of Births & Deaths—		
	7. Brick-kilns, etc. ...	.....	.....		1. Plague Establishment ...	654 8 0	654 10 5
	Total ...	623 12 3	634 5 9		2. Rewards for information ...	.....	.....
IV	Carriage tax ...	114 0 0	102 0 0	VII	Lighting—		
V	Tax on animals ...	66 0 0	72 0 0		1. Establishment charges ...	74 11 0	144 12 3
VI	Tolls and ferries ...	927 0 0+	1,352 8 0		2. Repairs of lanterns ...	71 4 0	90 12 6
VII	Other taxes—Mohatarfa—	3,641 0 0	.....		3. Lighting lamps by contract ...	298 9 6	717 9 0
	(a) Shop tax ...	1,652 1 0	993 12 0		4. Purchase of new lamp posts, etc. ...	85 2 10	.....
	(b) Loom tax ...	.....	.....		5. Do of matches and wicks ...	1 8 0	26 12 9
	(c) Oil-mill tax ...	70 2 0	20 0 0		6. New lanterns and burners replaced ...	.....	.....
	(d) Cart tax ...	9 0 0	13 0 0		Total ...	531 3 4	979 14
	(e) Water tax ...	.....	.....	VIII	Public Works—		
	Total ...	1,731 3 0	1,031 12 0		1. Supervision ...	257 8 0	235 9 7
VIII	Rents—Town Hall rent ...	120 0 0	.....		2. Road, original ...	.....	.....
	(a) Houses ...	92 14 9	124 5 0		3. Do repairs ...	2,758 10 0	5,522 13 7
	(b) Lands ...	11 0 0+	52 13 0		4. Drains, original ..	.....	.....
	(c) Devaraj Market shops ...	37 8 0	372 7 0		5. Do repairs ...	.....	335 10 5
	(d) Mandi do ...	45 3 0	87 4 0		6. Water-supply, original ...	.....	.....
	(e) Beef-butchers' stalls ...	63 11 0+	72 0 0		7. Do repairs ...	133 8 6	.....
	Total ...	81 0 0	95 4 0		8. Buildings, original ...	1,855 0 5	467 15 0
		933 4 9	732 1 0		9. Do repairs ...	628 11 9	27 9 8
					10. Road watering ...	4 13 6	54 0 0
					11. Other works, original ...	.....	10 12 8
					12. Do repairs ...	616 5 4	781 13 10
					13. Compensation ...	.....	117 4 0
					14. Reserve ...	.....	.....
					15. Tools and plant ...	5 4 0	24 0 0
					16. Transfer to other Departments ...	14,150 0 0	.....
					Total ...	20,412 13 6	7,847 8

Cash Account Current during the month of June 1909—concl'd.

Budget head	Receipts	For June 1909	For June 1908	Budget head	Expenditure	For June 1909	For June 1908
		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.			Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
IX Fines		16 0 0	.....	IX Charitable Grants—			
X Miscellaneous—				1. Dispensary in Old Agrahar ...		.....	.....
1. Sale of houses and lands ...				2. Do in Erangere ...		.....	.....
2. Fines for cattle trespass ...		66 0 0	127 9 0	3. Do in Nazarbad ...		.....	.....
3. Sale of stray cattle ...				4. Indigenous Hospital ...		.....	.....
4. Fees for fodder charges ...		29 2 3	44 10 3	5. Allowance to Hakim ...		10 0 0	10 0 0
5. Sale of manure ...		0 8 0	36 5 0	6. Midwives ...		53 2 7	23 11 4
6. Sale of grass ...		217 8 0	235 0 0	7. Vaccination ...		55 0 0	27 0 0
7. Sale of smuggled goods ...		3 13 6	8 11 0	8. Lanoline paste ...		.....	.....
8. Amarayi ...		117 13 0	146 10 0	Total ...		118 2 7	60 11 4
9. Notice and warrant fees ...		10 4 0	31 12 0				
10. Contribution from D. P. W.				X Education ...		801 0 0	800 0 0
11. Sale of trees ...		20 6 0	70 13 7	XI Miscellaneous—			
12. Sale of unserviceable articles		48 0 0	45 3 0	(a) Repayment of loan ...		.....	.....
13. Sale of empty tin boxes, etc.		18 12 0	50 0 0	(b) Refund of excess collection ...		3 15 0	24 0 0
14. Water tax ...		1,435 7 0	1,281 6 0	(c) Pound establishment ...		56 10 0	49 0 0
15. Scavenging fees ...		13 3 0	6 11 6	(d) Fodder charges ...		42 10 1	28 14 2
16. Refunds ...			22 15 4	(e) Rewards to dog and snake-killers.		5 9 0	3 3 9
Total ...		2,039 3 9	2,110 1 6	(f) Pension charges ...		.....	.....
				(g) Fairs and festivals ...		955 3 4	717 12 6
Payments for Municipal services rendered to individuals.		2 0 0	2 8 0	(h) Town Hall establishment ...		30 0 0	26 0 0
XI Supervision allowance on house-service pipes.				(i) Do other charges ...		11 14 0	1 5 0
Total Receipts ...		19,524 3 9	16,639 10 1	(j) Law expenses ...		95 8 2	.....
				(k) Clock Tower gardener's pay ...		18 0 0	15 0 0
Stock Account ...		10 4 8	.....	(l) Tank watcher's pay ...		71 0 0	62 0 0
Advance Adjustment ...		25 0 0	25 0 0	(m) Peoples' Park establishment		3 0 0	28 1 6
Deposits received ...		6,549 1 9	1,971 4 3	(n) Do other charges		.....	.....
Total Receipts ...		26,138 10 2	18,685 14 4	(o) Water maintenance establishment.		.....	.....
				(p) Do other charges		.....	.....
Opening Balance.				(q) Watch-maker's allowance ...		16 0 0	15 0 0
Actuals Rs.				(r) Ten per cent commission to pound-keeper ...		.....	.....
Deposits ..				(s) Care-taker's establishment ...		20 0 0	24 11 4
Imprests ..				Total ...		3,029 5 7	995 0 3
Cheques drawn during the month							
Actuals .. Rs.				Total Expenditure ...		30,509 9 3	17,245 8 11
Advances ..				Suspense Account ...		.....	.....
Deposits ..				Advance paid ...		.....	.....
Book adjustment as per Comptroller's intimation				Deposits paid ...		778 5 0	3,316 5 0
Grand Total ...						+4,857 5 9	.....
				Total Expenditure ...		36,145 4 0	20,561 13 11
				Closing Balance.			
				Actuals .. Rs.			
				Deposits ..		.....	.....
				Imprests ..		.....	.....
				Amount remitted to Treasury ...		.....	.....
				Actuals .. Rs.			
				Advances ..		.....	.....
				Deposits ..		.....	.....
				Book adjustment as per Comptroller's intimation		.....	.....
				Grand Total ...		.....	.....

Notice dated 17th August 1909.

Notice is hereby given under clause (b) of Section 60 of the Mysore Municipal Regulation of 1906, that the Municipal Council desire to impose toll on motor cars, motor cycles, rickshaws and ordinary cycles entering the Municipal limits at the rates specified on the margin.

	Rs.	a.	p.
(1) Bicycle or tricycle ...	0	1	0
(2) Motor cars ...	0	4	0
(3) Motor cycles ...	0	2	0
(4) Rickshaws ...	0	2	0

Any inhabitant of this City objecting to the proposed toll may within one month from the date of this notice send his objections in writing to the Municipal Council.

M. G. KRISHNASAMI RAO,
Vice-President.

Dated 19th August 1909.

The following business will be transacted at the ordinary meeting of the Municipal Councillors for the City of Mysore to be held in the Rangacharlu Memorial Hall on Saturday the 28th August 1909 at 7-30 A.M.

Subjects.

I. Consideration of the accounts of receipts and expenditure and other vital statistics for the month of July 1909 with the auditor's report and Comptroller's audited accounts for January, February and March 1909.

II. Proceedings of the Managing and Health Committees.

III. Application from the inhabitants of Lakshmi Vilas Agrahar, Mysore, praying for permission to enclose the vacant bits of land in front of their houses by means of compound walls in accordance with any type plan that may be decided by the Council.

IV. Government Proceedings No. 1065-08—Ml. 12-8 of 28th ultimo, sanctioning the estimate amounting to Rs. 1,100 for extending the cast iron water supply main of the Chetna-halli Road Extension in the City.

V. Health Officer's docket No. 119, dated 19th July 1909, requesting permission to extend the services of temporary vaccinators till the end of this official year.

VI. Docket No. 1686 of the 28-29th July 1909, from the Executive Engineer, Water-Supply and Stores Division, about metering houses paying more than Rs. 20 as house tax and also Chief Engineer's letter on the same subject.

VII. Government Proceedings No. R. 1420-61—Agri. 25-09-1, dated 14th August 1909, directing to disburse the grain compensation allowance for the month of July in places where the price of ragi rules consistently at or is not dearer, etc.

VIII. Government Proceedings No. 984-8—Ml. 330-08, dated 26th July 1909, directing that Mr. T. Hanumantha Rao be placed on special duty in the Mysore City Municipality for a period of six months with the status and pay of a Deputy Amildar.

IX. Government Proceedings No. 1711-2—Ml. 506-08-5, dated 16th August 1909, in the matter of the disposal of the Jeevanrayankere tank bed to Mr. Srikantaiya, retired Assistant Commissioner.

X. Government Proceedings No. 1201—Ml. 51-09-3, dated 31st ultimo, notifying the names of gentlemen elected as Municipal Councillors for the different mohallas of the City.

XI. Government Order No. 1713—Ml. 51-09-4, dated 16th August 1909, notifying the names of gentlemen nominated as Municipal Councillors for the City for a period of three years.

K. CHANDY,
President.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

Circular No. 2—P. W., dated Bangalore, August 1909.

To—All Executive Engineers and Sanitary Engineer and Chief Electrical Engineer.

An instance having been observed of a Divisional Accountant signing the monthly contingent bills sent to this office for audit, the undersigned has the honour to advise, in continuation of the Examiner's Circular No. 7, dated 26th April 1895, that the Divisional Accountants should be authorized to sign only routine correspondence and Accounts (compiled one) on behalf of the Executive Engineer, a certificate of admission of responsibility signed by the Executive Engineer being submitted in the case of the latter as required in para 1359, P. W. D. Code, Volume I.

In the case of bills and all other important documents where money is received or paid or important considerations are involved, they should be issued invariably under the signature of the Gazetted Officer in charge, i.e., the Executive Engineer.

J. S. CHAKRAVARTI,
Comptroller, P. W. & Ry. Branch.